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Applicant(s): Kazumi FURUTA et al.
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This is in response to the Office Action dated June 15, 2006
the term for which expires July 15, 2006.

ELECTION

The Examiner required an election among four Groups of
claims. Applicants hereby elect the invention of Group I
(claims 1-17 and 19, indicated to be "drawn to methods for
depicting, manufacturing a mother die of a mold and manufacturing
a mold.")

In addition, the Examiner required a further election if
Group I was chosen. Applicants therefore elect Group IA,

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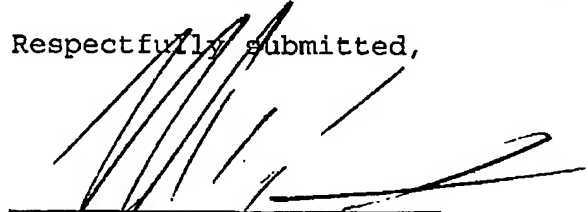
including Claims 1-13 indicated to be "drawn to a method of depicting."

The inventorship remains the same.

A favorable action on the merits is respectfully requested.

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